

## April 22, 2005

## **BY HAND-DELIVERY**

Mr. Kevin Brannelly, Director Rates and Revenue Requirements Division Department of Telecommunications and Energy One South Station, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Boston, MA 02110

Re: D.T.E. 99-60 - Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company,
Default Service Tariff Filing M.D.T.E. No. 121 for June 1, 2005

D.T.E. 03-88A-F <u>- Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company</u> <u>d/b/a Unitil, Base Rate Reduction Tariff Filing M.D.T.E. No. 122</u> for June 1, 2005

Transmittal Letter

Dear Mr. Brannelly:

Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company d/b/a Unitil ("Unitil") hereby submits two copies of Tariff Sheet No. 121 to implement Unitil's revised Default Service prices effective June 1, 2005. The tariff sheet incorporates the new prices in both redlined and final version. The results of Unitil's Request for Proposals ("RFP") are being filed with the Department today under separate cover. In addition, the tariff sheet incorporates the Default Service Cost Adder of \$0.00104 per kWh approved in D.T.E. 03-88A-F. This tariff is proposed to become effective on June 1, 2005.

Unitil will continue to notify customers of the changes in the default service rates in compliance with the Order in D.T.E. 99-60-C using notices developed in conjunction with the default service education working group and the Department's Consumer Division. Unitil will also post its approved rates on its website and make them available via a toll free number at least 30 days in advance of June 1, 2005.

Pursuant to the Motion for Protective Treatment filed today under separate cover, Unitil seeks to protect from public disclosure the wholesale prices bid in response to its RFP. Accordingly, Unitil is filing the original and one copy of the tariff sheets which contain the confidential version of Attachment 1 with Secretary Cottrell. Copies of the filing containing redacted

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versions of Attachment 1, which do not disclose the wholesale prices, have been provided to all other recipients unless otherwise noted.<sup>1</sup>

In addition, Unitil hereby submits two copies of Tariff Sheet No. 122 to implement Unitil's Base Rate Reduction of \$0.00013 per kWh approved in D.T.E. 03-88A-F proposed to be effective June 1, 2005.

Please contact me should you have any additional question on this matter.

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Senior Attorney

## **Enclosures**

cc: Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary (w/original and 1 copy of confidential attachments)

Jeanne Voveris, Esquire, Hearing Officer

Ronald LeComte, Director, Electric Power Division

Alexander Cochis, Asst. Attorney General (2 confidential copies)

Robert Sydney, General Counsel, Division of Energy Resources (1 confidential copy)

David McKeehan, President, No. Central Mass. Chamber of Commerce

D.T.E. 99-60 Service List

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Unitil is also providing copies of the filing containing the confidential material to the Attorney General (2 copies) and the Division of Energy Resources (I copy), with whom Unitil has entered into Nondisclosure Agreements for this proceeding.